

**National Center for Environmental Assessment
Weekly Report for November 7th, 2017**

30 Day Outlook for Presentations and External Meetings

Start Date	End Date	Scientist	Event	Location	Topic
8- Nov	8-Nov	Michele Taylor	Society of Toxicology-Risk Assessment Specialty Section (SOT RASS) Training.	EPA	On November 8th, Michele Taylor will present at a SOT RASS webinar on IRIS implementation of systematic review and use of tools
8- Nov	8- Nov	Malcolm Field	Meeting in regard to the Central Chemical Site Probable Responsible Parties (PRPs) request for a Technical Impracticability (TI) determination for the site	Philadelphia , PA	On November 8th, Malcolm Field will travel to Philadelphia to participate in a meeting in regard to the Central Chemical Site Probable Responsible Parties (PRPs) request for a Technical Impracticability (TI) determination for the site. A TI determination is a consideration that is sometimes approved at some Superfund sites in which the underlying hydrogeology and/or groundwater contamination are so complex that site remediation is deemed to be impracticable.
8- Nov	9- Nov	Laurie Alexander	Missouri Headwaters Basin Task Force Meeting.	Bozeman, MT	Missouri Headwaters Basin Task Force Meeting. Laurie Alexander will be attending the Missouri Headwaters Basin Task Force Meeting November 8-9 in Bozeman, Montana. This task force is part of the National Drought Resilience Partnership, a collaborative of federal and state agencies, non-governmental organizations, and watershed stakeholders working together to leverage and deliver technical and financial resources to help address drought in the Missouri Headwaters Basin (MHB). Laurie and Tina Laidlaw (Region 8) are co-PIs on a RARE project to improve regional ability to evaluate the landscape-scale, cumulative effects of restoration projects, management decisions, land use, and drought on surface water storage and late-season baseflow in priority watersheds in

					the Upper MHB.
11- Nov	17- Nov	Meredith Lassiter and Emmi Felker-Quinn	US Symposium on Harmful Algae	Baltimore, MD	Meredith Lassiter and Emmi Felker-Quinn will be attending the 9th US Symposium on Harmful Algae November 11-17, 2017 in Baltimore, MD. Meredith will be presenting on trends in nitrogen deposition related to harmful algal blooms. Emmi Felker-Quinn is a co-author. This work falls under HHRA Topic 2, Task 3.3 (2.213).
13- Nov	17- Nov	Jason Fritz and Janice Lee	OPM Training Course	Potomac, MD	On November 13th – 17th, Jason Fritz and Janice Lee will attend a Leadership Assessment Program Level 1 for Team Leaders and Emerging Supervisors training course offered by OPM in Potomac, MD.
16- Nov	17- Nov	Erin Hines	NIH Workshop	Bethesda, MD	Erin Hines has been invited to speak at the NIH Workshop: Human Milk Composition-Biological, Environmental, Nutritional, and Methodological Consideration, November 16-17, 2017 in Bethesda, MD.
21- Nov	22- Nov	John Vandenberg	National academies of Sciences workshop	Washington, D.C.	John Vandenberg will be providing a welcome and recap on the second day of a two day National academies of Sciences workshop to be held in Washington, DC on November 21-22, 2017. The title of the workshop is “Understanding Pathways to a Paradigm Shift in Toxicity Testing and Decision Making”. This workshop will explore key factors that influence how scientists, policymakers, risk assessors, and regulators incorporate new science—from high-throughput cell-based in vitro studies to tissue chips to environment-wide association studies—into their decisions
30- Nov	30- Nov	NCEA Scientists	EPA Announcement	EPA	OLEM in coordination with NCEA PPRTV Team will be releasing the announcement for the annual FY20 PPRTV call for chemicals by Nov. 30.

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4- Dec	6- Dec	Annette Gatchett	World Soil Day INSPIRATI ON Conference	Brussels, Belgium	Annette Gatchett will be participating and presenting at the World Soil Day INSPIRATION Conference in Brussels December 4-6. She will be representing the EU INSPIRATION Project as the Chair of the International Advisory Board. This will be the final meeting for the 3 year project.
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